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In re Application of

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Shinichi TAKAHASHI

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Application No.: 10/811,899

Group Art Unit: 1745

Filed: March 30, 2004

Examiner: THOMPSON, Melissa

For: FUEL CELL APPARATUS

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached: EOT

The fee has been calculated	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	10	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	3	0	\$200.00	\$0.00
		Multiple dependen	Multiple dependent claims newly presented		
		Fee for extension of time			\$120.00
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		Total of Above Calculations			\$120.00

 \boxtimes Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$120.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

Ø The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2007, now due to expire April 24, 2007, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on May 24, 2007.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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